

PUBLIC NOTICE

PERMIT APPLICATION: NRS 06.188

APPLICANT: State of Tennessee
Department of Transportation
Environmental Planning and Permits Division
Suite 900, J. K. Polk Bldg.
505 Deaderick Street
Nashville, TN 37243-0334
615-253-2441

LOCATION: Indian Camp Creek, Indian Camp Creek Road, TDOT #15033-1412-94
Cocke County lat 35.7988/long-83.2543

WATERSHED DESCRIPTION: Indian Camp Creek is a large perennial stream 50 feet in width with approximately 15 foot high banks. The stream is primarily bedrock bottomed with optimal habitat assessment scores. The riparian vegetation is mixed mature hard wood and shrubs. The affected stream is an unnamed intermittent tributary 5 – 8 feet wide with 2 foot banks with a gravel bottom.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: At Station 114+60+/- to 115+70+/- the applicant proposes to relocate 125 ft. of an unnamed intermittent tributary to Indian Camp Creek into a channel 125 ft. in length with similar morphology and flow and to replant native hardwoods along the realignment to allow the replacement of the existing bridges over Indian Camp Creek. The project includes the installation of three bridges (49.48 ft. of 2 @ 12 ft X 10 ft. reinforced concrete slab plus 20 ft. of riprap at inlet and outlet at Station 93+90+/-, 48 ft. of 2 @ 12 ft. X 10 ft. reinforced concrete slab bridge plus 25 ft. of riprap at the inlet and outlet at Station 96+80+/-, and 54.85 ft. of 3 @ 14 ft. X 8 ft. reinforced concrete slab bridge plus 10 of riprap at the inlet at Station 114+23.5+/-) over Indian Camp creek.

In accordance with the Tennessee Antidegradation Statement (Rule 1200-4-3-.06), the division has determined that the proposed activity will not result in degradation to water quality.

USGS TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLE: Jones Cove, TN (164-SE)

PERMIT COORDINATOR: Brian Canada

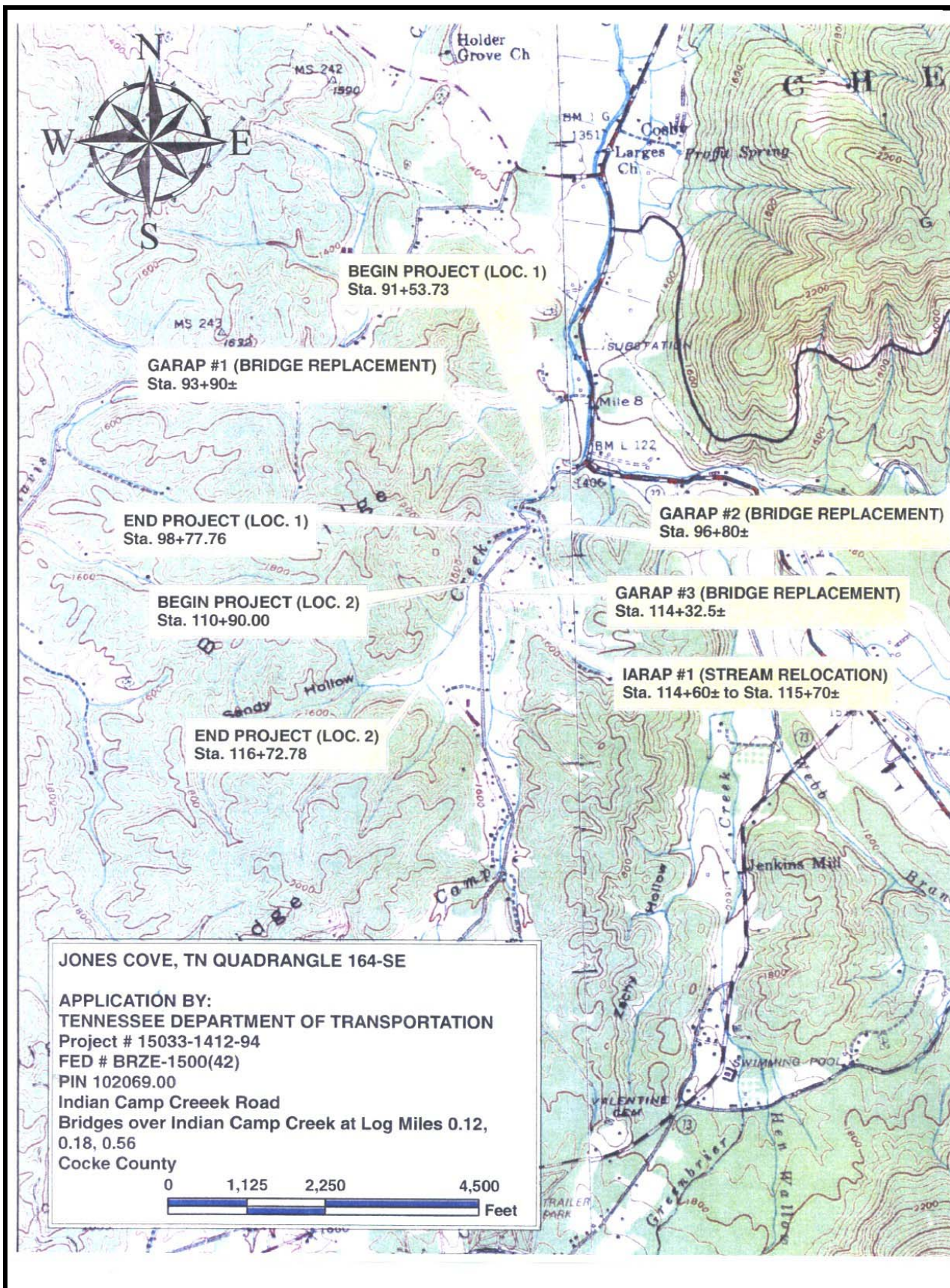
No decision has been made whether to issue or deny this permit. The purpose of this notice is to inform interested parties of this permit application and to ask for comments and information necessary to determine possible impacts to water quality. Persons wishing to comment on the proposal are invited to submit written comments to the department. Written comments must be received within **thirty days of the date that this notice is posted**. Comments will become part of the record and will be considered in the final decision. The applicant's name and permit number should be referenced.

Interested persons may also request in writing that the department hold a public hearing on this application. The request must be filed within the comment period, indicate the interest of the person requesting it, the reasons that the hearing is warranted, and the water quality issues being raised. When there is sufficient public interest in water quality issues, the department will hold a public hearing.

The permit application, supporting documentation including detailed plans and maps, and related comments are available at the department's address for review and/or copying. The department's address is:

Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation
Division of Water Pollution Control, Natural Resources Section
7th Floor L & C Annex
401 Church Street
Nashville, TN 37243

In deciding whether to issue or deny a permit, the department will consider all comments on record and the requirements of applicable federal and state laws.



JONES COVE, TN QUADRANGLE 164-SE

APPLICATION BY:
TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Project # 15033-1412-94
FED # BRZE-1500(42)
PIN 102069.00
Indian Camp Creeek Road
Bridges over Indian Camp Creek at Log Miles 0.12,
0.18, 0.56
Cocke County

0 1,125 2,250 4,500 Feet